

Staff Report July 10, 2018

TO:

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Town Council

FROM:

Roger Carroll, Finance Director

DATE:

June 28, 2018

RE:

Resolution approving personnel wage increases for the Town of Loomis Diversified

Employees Group and the Loomis Public Works Employee's Bargaining Unit (Operating

Engineers, Stationary Local No. 39)

Recommendation

Approve resolution regarding wage and benefit changes for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2019; June 30, 2020; and June 30, 2021.

Issue Statement and Discussion

The attached resolution adopts a pre-approved cost of living adjustment (COLA) for the full-time permanent employees of the Town of Loomis. The COLA would be effective the first day of each fiscal year and would be based on the preceding April-over-April change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the All US Cities – Western Division.

For instance, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, the effective date will be July 1, 2018. The change in the CPI from April 2017 to April 2018 ("the preceding year-over-year") is 3.2%. So, the COLA for will be 3.2%, approximately \$27,000, which has already been included in the adopted budget.

CEQA Requirements

There are no CEQA issues.

Financial and/or Policy Implications

The projected cost for the COLA for the 2018-19 is \$27,000 and has been included in the adopted budget. For the subsequent years, the additional payroll cost is projected to be between \$28,000 and \$30,000 per year.

Attachments

A. Resolution

TOWN OF LOOMIS

RESOLUTION NO. 18 -

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOOMIS APPROVING WAGE CHANGES WITH THE LOOMIS DIVERSIFIED EMPLOYEES GROUP AND WITH THE LOOMIS PUBLIC WORKS EMPLOYEE'S BARGAINING UNIT (OPERATING ENGINEERS, STATIONARY LOCAL NO. 39)

WHEREAS, the Town Council has adopted the 2018-2019 budget; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to retain employees with skills appropriate to the needs of Loomis; and

WHEREAS, management has met and conferred on the wage changes herein noted with the employees; and

WHEREAS, the changes noted have been accounted for in the adopted budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED that the Town Council of the Town of Loomis approves wage changes for the Loomis Diversified Employees Group and the Loomis Public Works Employee's Bargaining Unit as follows:

- Effective July 1, 2018; all full-time, permanent employees shall receive a 3.2% cost-of-living raise based on the preceding April year-over-year change in the consumer price index for the All US Cities Western Division.
- For the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2019 and July 1, 2020, cost-of-living raises will be given to all full-time, permanent employees equal to the preceding April year-over-year change in the consumer price index for the All US Cities Western Division.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 10th day of July 2018, by the following vote:

AYES: NOES: ABSTAINED: ABSENT:		
ATTEST:	Mayor	
Town Clerk		